



**COUNCILMEMBER DONNA FRYE**  
City of San Diego, Sixth District

**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** August 12, 2004

**TO:** Dick Murphy, Mayor  
Casey Gwinn, City Attorney *Donna Frye*

**FROM:** Councilmember Donna Frye

**SUBJECT:** Special Election to Fill the Vacant Council District Four Seat

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I have received and continue to receive numerous calls and emails from Council District Four constituents requesting that the special election to fill the late Councilmember Charles Lewis' seat be held in conjunction with the general election this November 2, 2004.

If in fact, the Mayor's decision to not docket this issue until September 7, 2004 precludes the special election from taking place on November 2, 2004, I respectfully request that the City Council be called from legislative recess to a special session so that the Council District Four constituents may be heard, a timely vote taken on this issue, and due process not denied at this time of community grief.

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cc: Councilmember Scott Peters  
Councilmember Michael Zucchet  
Councilmember Toni Atkins  
Councilmember Brian Maienshein  
Councilmember Jim Madaffer  
Councilmember Ralph Inzunza  
Council District Four Chief of Staff, Anthony Young